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In re Application of

Makoto GOTO

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AMENDMENT

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated October 31, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.